

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )

Eduardo GRIZANTE REDONDO et al. ) Group Art Unit: 1774

Application No.: 09/815,311 ) Examiner: J. Gray

Filed: March 23, 2001 ) Confirmation No.: 7258

For: LOW-SMOKE SELF-

EXTINGUISHING ELECTRICAL CABLE AND FLAME-RETARDANT COMPOSITION USED THEREIN

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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## REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

In reply to the Final Office Action mailed June 1, 2004, in conjunction with a Request for Continued Examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114, the period for response having been extended to February 1, 2005, by a one-month request for extension of time and fee payment filed concurrently herewith, Applicants request that the Examiner reconsider the pending claims in view of the following arguments. The present paper satisfies the requirement for a "Submission" to accompany the Request for Continued Examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 filed herewith. The RCE and this submission are timely filed in view of the Petition for Extension of Time and fee filed concurrently herewith.

Attachment: Declaration Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.132 of E.G. Redondo